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THE von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN FAMILY OF REICHENSACHSEN, HESSEN - KASSEL: GENEALOGICAL PROBLEMS AND SOME SOLUTIONS

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INTRODUCTION

The House of Boyneburg is one of the oldest and proudest of the medieval noble families of the former Landgraviate of Hessen-Kassel (the territories of which today form a part of the State of Hessen in the Federal Republic of Germany, i.e. commonly called West Germany). For nearly a thousand years it has owned, in unbroken succession, the castle called Burg Boyneburg (once a favorite residence of the 12th century Kaiser, Frederick Barbarossa), not far from the towns of Eschwege (on the Werra River), Wichmannshausen, and Reichensachsen. The family is alleged to have had its origin in the ancient Counts of Nordheim, one of whom, Otto, became Duke of Bavaria in the 11th century. His descendants built the castle of Boimeneburg (later corrupted to Boyneburg, Boineburg, Bömelburg, Bemmelburg, etc.) and took the title of Counts of Boimeneburg. The present writer has seen no satisfactory evidence to support this claim, but an examination of very early charters may some day either verify or destroy the supposed line of descent.

The present family of the name was founded in the 11th century by Heinrich von und zu Boimeneburg. His descendants from the very beginning of their history achieved distinction. They held high offices under the Landgraves of Hessen and of Hessen-Kassel. In the 16th century Ludwig von Boyneburg was one of the ten Regents of Hessen during the minority of the celebrated Landgrave Philipp the Magnanimous. In the 17th century Baron Johann Christian von Boyneburg was one of the great statesmen of the Holy Roman Empire, an architect of the defensive alliance known as the Rheinbund, and the patron of the illustrious philosopher and mathematician, Gottfried Wilhelm Leibnitz (Leibniz). The military record of the House of Boyneburg is impressive for its number of generals and other high-ranking army officers. During two World Wars (1914-18, 1939-45) the family suffered heavy losses in casualties. In 1944 Lieutenant-General Baron Wilhelm Georg Gustav Botho Hans von Boineburg-Lengsfeld was one of the conspirators against Hitler, but somehow he escaped the severe fate meted out to some of the other plotters by Germany's half-crazed Führer. In this same year another branch of the House, the Counts zu Boineburg und Lengsfeld, became extinct with the death in action in Russia of 19-year-old Count Sigismund.

The House of Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein was founded toward the end of the 12th or the beginning of the 13th century by the marriage of Bodo II von Boimeneburg (Boyneburg, Boineburg, Boyneburgk, etc.) and Adelheid, Countess von Hohenstein. Their descendants kept Thuringia and Hessen in a constant state of uproar. They were lawless and turbulent; they were never happier than when feuding with the towns or with other noble families. They frequently entered into agreements to maintain the peace --- agreements which they cheerfully broke as soon as possible. After battering in the heads of their enemies, they piously contributed to masses for the salvation of their souls --- their own souls, that is, for they were totally unconcerned about the souls of their foes whom they dispatched heavenward --- or in the opposite direction, as the case may be. They had an eye out for the material as well as the spiritual well-being of their families; their fortunate matrimonial alliances brought them prosperous estates. To this wild branch belonged Reinhard III von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, Prince-Abbot of Hersfeld (died 1398), Hermann IV von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, Prince-Abbot of Corvey (died 1504), and the latter's brother, Christoph von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, from whom are descended the Hungarian Barons von Bömelburg. The Hohenstein branch of the House became extinct in 1792 with the death of the childless Johann Carl Diedrich von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, Chamberlain to Landgrave Friedrich II of Hessen-Kassel.

The present head of the entire von Boyneburg-Boineburg-Boyneburgk family is Kurt von Boyneburgk of Burg Boyneburg, whose heir is his grandnephew and adopted son, Otto Heinrich von Boyneburgk.

In 1953 our two European researchers, Karl Friedrich von Frank, of Schloss Senftenegg, Post Ferschnitz, Niederösterreich, Austria, and Kurt Holzapfel, of Eschwege, Hessen, Germany, acting independently of each other but both following a clue provided by Kirchenrat Eduard Grimmell, of Kassel, discovered documentary evidence to show that Margaretha Catharina, widow of Pastor Johann Philipp Rübenkam of Wanfried, Hessen-Rheinfels, and foundress of the Rubincam-Revercomb Family of Pennsylvania and Virginia (1726), was a daughter of Matthias Sartorius, pastor of Wichmannshausen and Hoheneiche (died 1694), by his nobly-born wife, Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein (1646-1703). This was a splendid alliance, and one of the few that can be proved for an American colonist of German birth. The evidence for this descent will be found in the author's articles, "Origin of the Revercombs of Virginia", The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, January 1955; "The Identity of Margaretha Catharina Rübenkam", The American Genealogist, April 1955 (with an additional note in the July 1959 issue); "The Noble Ancestry of the Revercomb Family", The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Oct. 1960; and "The Rübenkam Family of Hessen, Parent Stock of the Rubincam-Revercomb Family of Pennsylvania and Virginia", The Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine, volume XXII, 1961.

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In 1957 the present writer began to mimeographe a family history entitled The House of Boyneburg, based on numerous printed works, plus the researches of Herr von Frank, who concentrated on the von Boyneburg part of our ancestry. The principal published genealogy of the House of Boyneburg is contained in a series of seven tables (Tafeln) in the much-cited Stammbuch der althessischen Ritterschaft, by the deaf-mute nobleman, Baron Rudolf von Buttlar-Elberberg (1888). This book is not available in the United States, but the Staatsarchiv (State Archives) at Marburg, Hessen, kindly provided us with photostatic copies of the von Boyneburg charts.

As the work progressed it became painfully evident that von Buttlar-Elberberg, in spite of his good will and his enthusiasm, was not entirely trustworthy. Herr von Frank in his letters repeatedly cautioned us not to accept the Baron's statements without independent investigation of primary sources.

In January 1961 the writer's good friend, distant cousin by marriage, and genealogical colleague, John Insley Coddington, of Bordentown, New Jersey, went to Hessen for the purpose of investigating the sources at Marburg and Reichensachsen, and adding to our information concerning the Rübenkam, Sartorius, von Boyneburg and related families. His examination of von Buttlar's work confirms the conclusion expressed by Mr. von Frank and reached also by the writer working with different published accounts in America. He sent to the writer copious extracts from the Reichensachsen parish registers which will be quoted in the original German in The House of Boyneburg. The latter work is still undergoing preparation; we hope to complete it before the end of the year.

The purpose of the present paper is to publicize the errors and inconsistencies in von Buttlar-Elberberg's work, to provide some solution to problems raised by him, and to give the paper wide distribution, especially in Germany, with the hope that interested scholars, with a thorough knowledge of the German language and difficult script, will completely re-construct the genealogy of the House of Boyneburg. This task should be accomplished by an exhaustive examination of charters, parish registers, and other original documents. The State Archives at Marburg contains the entire von Boyneburg Familienarchiv (family archives). The Staatsarchivdirektor, Dr. Eberhard G. Franz, took Mr. Coddington into the stacks and showed him the bundles. There were 85 bundles of documents relating to our own branch, von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, and an estimated 300 to 350 bundles concerning other branches of the House. "Beyond the division of the material into lines, there is little or no telling what any given bundle may contain," Mr. Coddington wrote in a letter shortly after his inspection of the family archives. "Four of the 85 bundles of von Boyneburg-Ho(h)enstein papers were opened at random. There were rent rolls of different properties

owned by the family; letters to and from Boyneburgs of varying dates from 1465 to 1780; an amusing and satirical poem (by some Boyneburg-Hoenstein, unsigned) about the Prince de Conti's candidacy for the Throne of Poland; documents about law suits; all with no arrangement, order or sequence whatsoever. The handwriting is in many cases very difficult. To go through 85 bundles would take several months!"

The historian or genealogist who wishes to straighten out the many problems of the von Boyneburg family history will have a real task to attäck not only 85 bundles of the von Boyneburg-Hohenstein (also called in contemporary records Hoenstein) branch, but the 300 to 350 bundles relating to all of the House's many branches. But in the long run a real contribution to German history and genealogy will have been made.

In this paper, we confine our discussion only to the immediate ancestry of our last German ancestress of this family, Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, wife of Pastor Matthias Sartorius, of Wichmannshausen.

The writer takes this opportunity to express his heartfelt thanks to the following gentlemen for their assistance and interest in working out our pre-American genealogical problems:

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HUMBRACHT'S ACCOUNT

The different printed versions of the von Boyneburg genealogy are marvelously inconsistent. To illustrate how wrong a contemporary work can be we cite Johann Maximilian von Humbracht's Die Höchste Zierde Deutsch-Landes und Vortrefflichkeit des Teutschen Adels, which was published at Frankfurt-am-Main in 1 7 0 7, only four years after the death of Anna Juliane Sartorius, born v. Boyneburg gen. Hohenstein. The von Boyneburg pedigree is set out in a series of tables from pages 230 to 235, inclusive. Our warmest thanks are here expressed to the writer's friend and distant cousin, John H. Cook, of Bordentown, New Jersey, who graciously threw open to us his unsurpassed private library, in which we found Humbracht's two volumes. That portion of the pedigree which concerns us here is on page 235, Tables L and M, as follows:

JOST von BOINEBURG genant HONSTEIN, 1540; married CATHARINA von BUTTLAR, daughter of Ernst von Buttlar and Catharina Haun, "or .... von Bultzingsleben". Issue:

1. Philipp; married Christina von Kochberg, and had issue:
   a. Balthasar.
   b. Friedrich.
   c. Jost Christoff; married Sabina von Schalay of Fleckenbühl and had issue:
      i. Sibylla; m. Curt Leopold v. Boineburg-Honstein.
      ii. Anna Christina; m. Philipp v. Boineburg-Honstein.
      iii. Anna Agatha; m. Ernst von Biedenfeld.
2. Asmus; married .... von Honstein, or Sibylla Reichin, and had issue:
   a. Jost Friedrich; married Dorothe von Hundelshausen, and had issue:
      i. Philipp Burkhard; m. (1) 1647, Anna Elisabet von Trotten zu Solz, (2) Anna Debora von Utterodt.
      ii. Dorothe; m. Adam von Boineburg-Honstein.
3. JOST; see below.

JOST von BOINEBURG, genant HONSTEIN (no. 3, above) married (1) .... von Volckersroda, (2) Anna von Hohenstein, or Agnes Keutelin of Schwebda. Issue:

1. Adam; m. (1) Dorothe von Boineburg, daughter of Fried. v. Boineburg and Dorothe von Hundelshausen (see above), and (2) Magdalena von Wangenheim. Issue:
   a. Anna Sabina.
   b. Jost Henrich; m. Hedwig Agnes von Hanstein. Issue:
      i. Wolff Henrich.
      ii. Beata Christina.
      iii. Dieterich Philipp.
      iv. Sophia Magdalena.
      v. Friedrich Wilhelm.
      vi. Magdalena Hedwig.
      vii. Adolff Henrich.
      viii. Anna Sibylla.

2. Maria.
3. Anna Catharina.
4. Brigitta.
5. Margret; m. Asmus von Buttlar.
6. CURT LEOPOLD, of Jestädt; married SIBYLLA von BOINEBURG, gen. HOHENSTEIN, daughter of Johann Christoff v. Boineburg-Honstein and Sabina von Schalley. (See above.) Issue:
   a. Jost.
   b. Anna Christina; m. Johann Friedrich von Buttlar.
   c. Johann.
   d. Anna Sidonia.
   e. ANNA JULIANA, "of Jestädt" (incorrect); married WALRAB von BOINEBURG-HONSTEIN (also incorrect!).

von BUTTLAR-ELBERBERG'S ACCOUNT

One hundred and eighty-one years after von Humbracht published his work, Baron von Buttlar-Elberberg issued his pedigree book of the Old Hessian Knighthood. His version of the foregoing lineage is more complete than von Humbracht's, and apparently more accurate, but even so, it contains many gaps and errors. The following is from Tafel VII of his von Boyneburg pedigree:

JOST von BOINEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN; co-owner of Elberberg Castle; died in 1589; married (1) CATHARINA von BUTTLAR-ZIEGENBERG, who died in 1554; (2) _____ von FALKEN-RÖHR-DA, who died in 1556; and (3) VERONIKA von SCHETZELL, who died in 1588. Issue:

1. JOST; see below.
2. PHILIPP; born 1556; married CHRISTINA von KOCHBERG, and had issue:
   a. Anna; m. Hilmar von Campen of Deensen.
   b. Balthasar Philipp; died in 1595.
   c. JOST CHRISTOPH; m. SABINE von SCHOLLEY, born at Kassel, 9 Aug. 1579, daughter of Otto Georg von Scholley of Malsfeld and Sibylla Knoblauch von Hatzbach. Issue:
      i. Anna Christina; b. 1605; d. 1683.
      ii. Anna Agathe; m. Ernst v. Biedenfeld of Berneburg.
      iii. SABINE SIBYLLA; b. 1611; d. 1674; m. CURT LEOPOLD von BOINEBURG, gen. HOHENSTEIN, of Reichensachsen. (See below.)
3. Asmus; Captain of Cavalry in the Imperial Army; m. 17 Jan. 1596, Sibylla Reich von Laubringen, and had issue:
   a. Veronika; m. Georg Christoph von Kalben.
   b. Anna Catharina; m. Georg Ernst von Kalben, Waldecker Magistrate at Münden.
   c. Jost Friedrich, 1603-27; m. Dorothea von Hundelshausen, and had issue:
      i. Jost Burkhard; b. 1621; d. 1705; m. Anna Elisabeth Trott zu Solz; no issue.
      ii. Anna Dorothea; m. Adam von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein, 1659; see below.

JOST von BOINEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Jost, above); Hessian Lieutenant-Colonel; born 1554; died 1619; married (1) 16 July 1598, ANNA CATHARINE von VÖLKERODE, who died 10 July 1600; (2) ANNA von HANSTEIN-BORNHAGEN; and (3) AGNES von KEUDELL. Issue by second wife:

1. Anna Catharina; b. 1605; d. 1683.
2. CURT LEOPOLD; see below.
3. Anna Brigitta.
4. Adam, of Reichensachsen; died 1659; m. (1) Anna Dorothea von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein (see above); (2) Maria Magdalena von Wangenheim, daughter of Kraft Friedrich von Wangenheim of Hesswinkel and Anna Agnes von Buttlar-Ziegenberg.
   Issue by first wife:
   a. Anna Magdalena; b. 1621; d. 1691.
   b. Anna Catharina; m. at Elberberg, 21 July 1684, Johann Wilhelm Hartmann, pastor of Elben.
   c. Anna Dorothea; b. 1630; d. 1698.
   Issue by second wife:
   d. Jost Heinrich; sold his part of Elberberg Castle in 1691 to the other co-owner, Joh. Burkhard von Buttlar of Kirchberg; m. (1) 1676, Anna Deboria von Uetterodt, daughter of Wolf von Uetterodt and Anna Beathe von Wangenheim; (2) Hedwig Agnes von Hanstein, daughter of Hans Hermann von Hanstein and Ursula Spiegel, of Peckelsheim.
      Issue by the first wife:
      i. Wolfgang Heinrich, of Netra; b. 1676; d. 1736; m. 3 May 1706, Dorothea Maria von Hundelshausen.
      ii. Berthe Christine; b. 1678.
      iii. Magdalene Sophie; b. 1679.
      Issue by the second wife:
      iv. Anna Sabine Dorothea; b. 1683; d. 1690.
      v. Dietrich Philipp, of Reichensachsen; Hessian Chief Tax-Collector; b. 1685; d. 1739; m. (1) Imperial Countess (Reichsgräfin) von Herberstein; (2) 8 Dec. 1722, HENRIETTE von BODENHAUSEN, b. 20 July 1700. No issue by first wife.
         Issue by second wife:
         aa. Sophie Agnes; b. 1723; d. at Reichensachsen, 17 Feb. 1766; m. 13 May 1739, Hartmann Adolf Wilhelm von Eschwege, of Reichensachsen.
         bb. Hedwig Charlotte; b. 1724.
         cc. Heinrich Ottomar b. 1725.
         dd. Anna Wilhelmine; b. 1727.
         ee. Johann Carl Friedrich (last name an error for Diedrich --- corrected in ink on copy of von Buttlar-Elberberg's book owned by the State Archives at Marburg); b. 1729; d. 1792;"the last of his House"; m. 1753 Caroline von Löwenstein; no issue.
         ff. Anna Luise; b. 1730; m. 1745, Reinhard von Baumbach of Wentershausen.

gg. Christian Friedrich Wilhelm; Hessian Army Captain; b. 1731; d. 1759.
hh. Johann Lebrecht; Hessian Master of the Forest; b. 1733.
ii. Maria Susanne Hedwig; b. 1734.

It is unnecessary to make a comparison here of von Humbracht's Tables L and M with von Buttlar-Elberberg's Table VII. The reader can judge the differences for himself. However, there is another big difference not brought out above; the two authors disagree on the origin of the Reichensachsen branch, as follows:

von Humbracht (Table L):	von Buttlar-Elberberg (Table VII):
Reinhard v. Boineburg, gen. Honstein; m. _____, a daughter of Ludwig v. Boineburg-Honstein and his wife, Mechtild von Herda	Heinrich (X) von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein; of record, 1391, 1399, 1406; married Margarethe von Nesselröden-Krauthausen
Henrich von Boineburg gen. Honstein; married _____.	Heimbrod III, of Reichensachsen; m. 1460, Dorothea von Boineburg (not otherwise identified)
Jost von Boineburg genannt Honstein, 1540; m. Catharina von Buttlar. (See pages 5-6.)	Heimbrod IV, von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein; married Margarethe von Elben
	Jost von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein; d. 1589; married (1) Catharina von Buttlar-Ziegenberg, (2) _____ von Falken-Röhrda, (3) Veronika von Schetzell. (See pp. 5-6.)

A comparison of all available reference works and sources shows that von Buttlar-Elberberg had the correct origin of the Reichensachsen family, and that von Humbracht assigned it to the wrong branch.

A REVISED GENEALOGY

(Based on von Buttlar-Elberberg, Tafel VII; the researches of Karl Friedrich von Frank; and John I. Coddington; and other sources as cited.)

HEINRICH X von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN; of record 1391, 1399, 1406; married MARGARETHE von NESSELRODE (called NESSELRÖDEN by von Buttlar-Elberberg) aus dem Hause Krauthausen.
Issue:
1. Heimbrod III; see below.
2. Hermann III; his son, Hermann IV, was Prince-Abbot of Corvey, 1485-1504; another son, Christoph, was ancestor of the Barons von Bömelburg of Hungary.
3. Raban (Rabe, Rave); founder of the Elbersdorf branch.
4. Reinhard V; founder of the Nimwegen branch.

HEIMBROD III von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN, son of Heinrich X, was the founder of the branch of the family seated at Reichensachsen for five centuries. With his brothers Raban and Reinhard, he was mentioned in the Generallehnbrief (General Patent of Feudality) issued in 1471. (Julius L. Chr. Schmincke, "Schloss Boyneburg", Zeitschrift des Vereins für hessische Geschichte und Landeskunde, Band 18, Neue Folge, Band 8, 1880, pp. 314 and 321.) Sons:
1. Heimbrod IV; see below.

And probably:
2. Hans.) Mentioned in the document establishing
3. Reinhard.) the Burgfriede or Public Peace of 1512.
4. Heinrich Georg.) (Schmincke, "Schloss Boyneburg", p. 323.)
5. Philipp.) They are not mentioned by von Buttlar-Elberberg.

HEIMBROD IV von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN, son of Heimbrod III, was undoubtedly the Heimbrodt "von Beuneburgk genannt von Hoenstein" who was mentioned in the document establishing the Burgfriede (Publuc Peace) of 1512. He married MARGARETHE von ELBEN, daughter of Thilo von Elben and his wife, Margarethe von Hardenberg, through whom his descendants inherited a part of Elberberg Castle in present Kreis Wolfhagen, Hessen.
Issue:
1. Joachim; co-owner of Elberberg Castle; m. Margarethe Hund von Wenckheim, and had issue.
2. Jost; see below.
3. Joseph; co-owner of Elberberg Castle, 1549-63; m. (1) 1540, Anna Goswein of Breunighagen, and (2) May 1554, Kunigunde von Herda-Brandenburg. Issue.
4. Heimbrod V; co-owner of Elberberg Castle; Captain, Hessen-Kassel Army; sold his share of Elberberg Castle to his sister, Margarethe von Buttlar.
5. Margarethe (1503-54); m. (1) Hildebrand Gaugreben, and (2) Asmus von Buttlar-Ziegenberg.
6. Anna; co-owner of Elberberg Castle (sold her share to her sister Margarethe; married Andreas Mon Neter of Netra.

JOST von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Heimbrod IV) was co-owner of Elberberg Castle. He died in 1589. He married (1) CATHARINA von BUTTLAR, (2) _____ von FALKEN-RÖHRDA, and (3) VERONIKA von SCHETZEL(L). According to von Buttlar-Elberberg, the first wife died in 1554, the second in 1556, and the third in 1588. We are descended apparently from the first and second wives.

The problem here is to identify the first wife. Von Humbracht makes Catharina a daughter of Ernst von Buttlar and his wife, Catharina von Haun; the same statement is made, according to von Frank, in Biedermann's book on the Rhön-Werra nobility, published in 1749. On the other hand, in his von Boyneburg pedigree von Buttlar-Elberberg does not name her parents, although in his von Buttlar pedigree in the Stammbuch he makes her a daughter of Oswald von Buttlar and his wife, Eva von Keudel(l) of Schwebda. We are inclined to agree with the latter version, but only a search of original documents will determine the accuracy of our conclusion.

Issue by the first wife, Catharina von Buttlar(-Ziegenberg):

1. Jost; see below.

Issue by the second wife, a von Falken-Röhrda:

2. Philipp; b. 1556; m. Christine von Kochberg. Issue:
   a. Anna; m. Hilmar von Campen of Deensen.
   b. Balthasar Philipp; died in 1595.
   c. Jost Christoph; m. Sabine von Scholley, b. at Kassel, 9 Aug. 1579, buried at Reichensachsen, 10 June 1642, being described in the parish register as "the indeed noble, much honored and virtuous Lady Sabine von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, born von Scholley". (Walter Kürschner, "Aus dem Kirchenbuch von Reichensachsen von 1639-1653", Archiv für hessische Geschichte und Alterthumskunde, Neue Folge, Band IX, 1913, p. 53.) Issue:
      i. Anna Christine; b. 1605; d. 1683.
      ii. Anna Agathe; m. Ernst von Biedenfeld of Berneburg.
      iii. Sabine Sibylle; m. Curt Leopold von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein; see below.
3. Asmus; Captain of Cavalry in the Imperial Army; m. 17 Jan. 1596, Sibylla Reich von Laubringen. Issue:
   a. Veronika; m. Georg Christoph von Kalben.
   b. Anna Catharina; m. Georg Ernst von Kalben, Magistrate at Münden, in Waldeck.
   c. Jost Friedrich; of record, 1603-27; m. Dorothea von Hundelshausen; issue:
      i. Jost Burkhard; b. 1621; d. 1705; m. Anna Elisabeth Trott zu Solz; no issue.
      ii. Anna Dorothea; m. Adam von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein (see below).
      iii. Anna (probably Anna Catharina ?); m. 17 Jan. 1650, Johannes Hartmann (Johann Wilhelm Hartmann, pastor at Elben ?).

(Nos. i and ii are from Buttlar-Elberberg; no. iii was found by Coddington in the Reichensachsen parish register for 1650: "17 Jan. Johannes Hartmann und Anna Boÿneburgk, Juncker Jost Friderichs von Boÿeburgk genant von Hoinstein sel. nachgelassene Tochter".)

JOST von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Jost, above) was born "in 1554 Montag nach Invocavit" (i.e. Monday, 12 February 1554). According to his Leichenpredigt (funeral oration) delivered by Mag. Martinus Rudolph, of Reichensachsen (in the Landesbibliothek or State Library at Kassel, Sign. Famil. nobil. 4° Nr 3), he became a Junker (young nobleman) at the court of Duke Christoph von Württemberg when he was 11 years old. He received his training at the Court of Württemberg and later he became a Junker with his cousin, Jost Oswald von Buttlar (son of Asmus von Buttlar-Ziegenberg and his wife, Margarethe von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, see page 9), and finally a Junker with a certain Herr Anderlan, a student at Strassburg, Alsace. He entered the military service of Hessen-Kassel and rose to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. He died at Reichensachsen, 16 April 1619.

The foregoing extracts from Lt. Col. v. Boyneburg gen. Hohenstein's funeral oration were provided by Herr von Frank. In January 1961, while in Kassel, Mr. Coddington tried to locate this work in order to obtain from it a more complete biography. Unfortunately, he learned that the Leichenpredigt was among the many priceless documents of the Landesbibliothek which were destroyed during the aerial bombardment of Kassel in World War II.

Lt. Col. v. Boyneburg gen. Hohenstein married (1) 16 July 1598, ANNA CATHARINA, daughter of Philipp von Falkenröde (Völckersroda) genannt Goburg. She died on 10 July 1600, apparently without issue. He married (2) ANNA von HANSTEIN-BORNHAGEN, and (3) AGNES von KEUDEL(L) of Schwebda. So far as can be determined at present, all of his children were by the second wife, but again, we must emphasize that only an examination of original sources will clear up this point.

Herr von Frank listed four sets of parents for Anna von Hanstein-Bornhagen according to as many authors, as follows:

(A) According to Rudolf von Buttlar-Elberberg:
Jost von Hanstein auf Bornhagen (d. before 1610); m. Beate von Bülzingslöwen a.d.H. Hainrode (d. ca. 1613).

(B) According to Reinhard von Eschwege:
Burghardt von Hanstein auf Bornhagen und Bessenhausen, Canon at Fritzlar, Abbot of Heiligenstadt, later became a Protestant and died at Fritzlar, 25 Sept. 1585. Name of wife, if any, unknown. Said to have named his children in his will.

(C) According to Dekan Wittekindt, of Wolfhagen:
Lippold von Hanstein auf Bornhagen (died 14 Jan. 1575), Brunswicker Councillor at Hünden, Steward of Duchess Elisabeth of Brunswick. Married (1) Margarethe von Leuthorst (living 1540) and (2) Gertrud von Bodenhausen.

(D) Author not stated:
Martin von Hanstein auf Bornhagen; married Maria von Hütschefahl.

At the risk of being accused of originating a corny pun, it must be admitted that Anna had not only forefathers but four fathers! Not every woman can attain that distinction. Seriously, though, on only one point do these four versions agree --- Anna von Hanstein was descended from the Bornhagen branch of her family.

Issue of Lt. Col. Jost v. Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein and Anna v. Hanstein-Bornhagen:

1. Adam; see below.
2. Anna Catharina; b. Sept. 1605; d. 9 Oct. 1683, aged 78 years, 1 month. (Reichensachsen parish registers --- Coddington's researches).
3. Anna Brigitta.
4. Curt Leopold; see below.
5. Maria.

We have made a slight change in the order of the above-named children from that given by von Buttlar-Elberberg, who listed them as follows: Anna Catharina, Anna Brigitta, Curt Leopold, Adam, and Maria (see page 7). If we accept von Buttlar-Elberberg's order, and space each child by two years, we get the following approximate years of birth: Anna Catharina, 1605; Anna Brigitta, 1607, Curt Leopold 1609 (the Reichensachsen church register states that he died on 18 Dec. 1673, aged 64 years, 4 months, which places his date of birth in 1609); Adam, 1611; and Maria, 1613. BUT, von Buttlar-Elberberg says that Adam's eldest daughter, Anna Magdalena, was born in 1621. If Adam was Curt Leopold's younger brother and was born about 1611, he had fathered this girl when he attained the advanced age of 10 years! If, on the other hand, we make Adam the oldest child of Jost and Anna, and assign him the approximate birth-year of 1602 or 1603, he was 18 or 19 years old at the time his daughter Anna Magdalena was born (assuming that the year 1621, given to her by von Buttlar-Elberberg, was correct). This revised chronology makes better sense than that given by von Buttlar-Elberberg.

When we consider von Humbracht's list (see pages 5-6, above) we find a still different order: Adam, Maria, Anna Catharina, Brigitta, Margret (m. Asmus von Buttlar), and Curt Leopold. Here Adam is given as the oldest and Curt Leopold as the youngest child. The daughter Margret (Margarethe), wife of Asmus von Buttlar, is misplaced; she was daughter of Heimbod IV and sister of the first Jost (see page 9) and hence was Lt. Col. Jost's aunt.

ADAM von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Lt. Col. Jost) was born about 1602 or 1603, and was the head of the Reichensachsen branch of the family. He died on 2 August 1659 (Reichensachsen parish register). He married (1) ANNA DOROTHEA von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN, daughter of Jost Friedrich von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein and his wife, Dorothea von Hundelshausen, and (2) marriage contract dated Martini /__11 November __/ 1641 MARIA MAGDALENA von WANGENHEIM, daughter of Kraft Friedrich von Wangenheim and his wife, Anna Agnes von Buttlar-Ziegenberg.

She died 3 May 1691, aged 66 years, 3 months (Reichensächsen parish register).

Issue by the first wife:

1. Anna Magdalena; b. 1621; d. 1691.
2. Anna Catharina. Von Buttlar-Elberberg states that she was married on 21 July 1684 to Johann Wilhelm Hartmann, pastor of Elben. We believe this to be an error. See page 10, above, the family of Jost Friedrich. We believe that this Anna Catharina may be identified with the Anna, daughter of Jost Friedrich, who married Johannes Hartmann on 17 Jan. 1650. This is a much more logical match --- and a more sensible date, for if she were Adam's daughter and not married until 1684, she must have been approaching old age --- and at that time it was a rare occurrence for women to marry so late in life. In fact, it will be noticed that many of the unmarried von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein ladies were elderly spinsters at the time of death.
3. Anna Dorothea; b. 1630; d. 12 May 1698, aged 67 1/2 years (Reichensächsen parish register).

Issue by the second wife:

4. Jost Heinrich; see below.
5. Maria; died in 1686; married Rudolph Hermann von Buttlar genannt Treusch (according to von Buttlar-Elberberg).
6. Jost Philipp.
7. Christian Leopold.

JOST HEINRICH von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Adam) was born ca. 31 March or 1 April 1645 and died 10 April 1722. aged 77 years less 10 days. In 1693 he sold his share of Elberberg Castle to the co-owner, Lieutenant-Colonel Johann Burkhard von Buttlar of Kirchberg, great-grandson of Asmus von Buttlar-Ziegenberg and his wife, Margarethe, daughter of Heimbrod IV von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein. Jost Heinrich married (1) 1676, ANNA DEBORA (called DEBORIA by von Buttlar-Elberberg), daughter of Wolf von Uetterodt and his wife, Anna Beathe von Wangenheim. She died 9 December 1678 (Reichensachsen parish registers), and he married (2) HEDWIG AGNES, daughter of Hans Hermann von Hanstein and his wife, Ursula Spiegel zu Peckersheim. She died 30 December 1727 (Reichensachsen parish registers).

Issue by first wife:

1. Wolfgang Heinrich; baptized (as Wolff Heinrich), 27 July 1676 (godparents: Junker Wolff von Uetterodt and Jungfrau Anna Christina von Boineburg genannt Hohenstein); date of death not found in the Reichensachsen parish register by Mr. Coddington; married 3 May 1706, Dorothea Maria von Hundelshausen, and had five daughters and one son (Jost Heinrich, born 1718, died 1719).
2. Beathe Christine; bap. 13 Jan. 1678 (godparents: Fräulein Anna Christina von Uetterodt and Jungfrau Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt von Hohenstein); died 4 May, buried 5 May 1714; unmarried (Reichensachsen parish register).

Issue by second wife:

3. Magdalene Sophia; bap. 9 Feb. 1679 (godparents: Frau Maria Magdalena von Boyneburg genannt von Hohenstein and Frau Anna Sophia v.Ütterodt); d. 8 May 1722 (name reversed to Sophia Magdalena in the Reichensachsen parish register of deaths).

4. Anna Sabine Dorothea; bap. 3 Nov. 1683 (godmother: Fräulein Anna Sabina Trauschin); d. 12 July 1690, aged 6 years 7 months. (Reichensachsen parish register)
5. Diedrich Philipp; see below.
6. Magdalene Hedwig; bap. 21 March 1686 (godmother: Frl. Maria Magdalena von Boyneburg genannt Hohnstein); died 25 Feb. 1728, aged 42 years less 4 weeks). (Reichensachsen register)
7. Johann Friedrich Christoph; bap. 27 April 1687 ((godfather: Hans Heinrich von Boyneburg genannt von Hohnstein). No further record. Mr. Coddington did not find a record of his death in the Reichensachsen parish registers. Johann Friedrich Christoph was not listed by von Buttlar-Elberberg among the children of Jost Heinrich. Apparently he died young, perhaps away from Reichensachsen.
8. Friedrich Wilhelm; bap. 7 April 1688 (godparents: Herr Friederich von Trotte, Herr Wilhelm von Letiva, Frl. von Trotte). No further record. (Reichensachsen parish register)
9. Adolf Heinrich; bap. 5 Aug. 1690 (godparents: Herr Adolph Ütterodt, etc. (sic!). (Reichensachsen parish register). No further record.
10. Magdalena Elisabeth; bap. 11 Sept. 1691 (godmother: Frl. Magdalena Elisabeth von Uffeln). (Reichensachsen parish register). (No further record.)
11. Anna Sibylla: bap. 19 Aug. 1693 (godparents: Reinhard Lorenz von Butler, Fr. Anna Elisabeth von Boyneburg genannt von Hohnstein, Fr. Anna Sibilla voon Uffeln); died 9 April 1745. (Reichensachsen parish register)

DIEDRICH PHILIPP von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (son of Jost Heinrich) was baptized on 7 January 1685, his godparents being Herr Diederich von Hohnstein, Herr Philipp von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, and Frl. Anna Sidonia von Geisse. He died 27 September 1739. (Reichensachsen parish register). By virtue of his possession of Burg Armsheim, in Rhenish Hessen, which he had inherited from his mother's family, he was enrolled as a member of the Upper Rhenish Knighthood According to von Buttlar-Elberberg, his first wife was a Reichsgräfin (Imperial Countess) von HERBERSTEIN, by whom he apparently had no issue. He married secondly, 8 December 1722, HENRIETTE von BODENHAUSEN, who was born 20 July 1700, and died 19 March 1760, aged 60 years less two weeks (sic!). (Her date of birth was given by von Buttlar-Elberberg; however, it is incorrect, if we accept her age as stated at time of death by the clerk or pastor who entered her demise in the Reichensachsen parish register.) She was buried at Langenhain, 24 March 1760.

Issue:

1. Sophie Agnes; bap. 5 Sept. 1723 (Reichensachsen parish register); d. there 17 Feb. 1766; m. Reichensachsen, 13 May 1739, Hartmann Adolf Wilhelm von Eschwege, an officer in the Hessen-Kassel army, who was born 18 Dec. 1709 and died 9 March 1770. Ancestors of Heintz von Eschwege, the present owner of the estate at Reichensachsen, and of the von Eschwege and Wick families of New York.
2. Hedwig Charlotte; bap. 9 Oct. 1724 (godparents: Fräulein

Magdalene Hedwig von Boÿneburg, Herr von Buttlär, Fräulein von Bodenhausen). No further record. Nothing learned of her death by Mr. Coddington from the Reichensachsen parish register.

3. Heinrich Ottomar; bap. 31 Dec. 1725 (godparents: Herr Wolff von Boÿneburg of Netra, Frl. Anna Sybilla von Boÿneburg; died 7 March 1727, aged 1 year and 2 months. (Reichensachsen parish register)
4. Anna Wilhelmine; bap. 23 Sept. 1727 (godparents: Frau Anna Amalia von Keudel of Schwebda, Frau Wilhelmina von Berlepsch of Berlepsch, and Herr Liborius von Hanstein of Rotenburg); died 8 April 1728; buried in the church at Langenhain. (Reichensachsen parish register)
5. Johann Carl Diedrich; bap. 21 Feb. 1729 (godparents: Herr Klaus Wilhelm von Diede of Madelungen, Herr Carl Otto von Minnigeroda of Giebelhausen, Herr Diedrich von Bodenhausen, and Frau Anna Eleonora von Linsing of Bimtefeld); died (probably at Kassel) 1792. In 1788 he sold Burg Armstein, which he had inherited from his paternal grandmother's family, the von Hansteins, to Baron Philipp Joseph von Riebold. Carl von Boyneburg, as he was generally known, was Chief Cupbearer of the princely court at Kassel and in 1779 he was appointed Chief Court Marshal (Oberhofmarschall). He was also Chamberlain to Landgrave Friedrich II and bore the rank of Excellency (Excellenz). In 1753 he married Caroline von Löwenstein, but they had no issue. He was the last representative of the five-century-old House of Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein.
6. Anna Luise Christine; bap. 27 June 1730 (Reichensachsen parish register); died at Nentershausen, 28 Dec. 1805; m. at Reichensachsen, 2 Nov. 1745, Reinhard von Baumbach, born at Nentershausen, 1 May 1708, died there 6 Dec. 1775. He was Captain of Cavalry in the Life Guard Regiment of the Hessen-Kassel Army. Ancestors of the von Baumbach family of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, U.S.A.
7. Christoph Friedrich Wilhelm; bap. 20 Nov. 1731 (godparents: Herr Johann Christoph von Boyneburg of Wichmannshausen, Herr Reinhard Diedrich von Boyneburg, Herr Ludwig Wilhelm Treusch von Buttlar, of Allenfeld, Fräulein Charlotte Philippine von Boyneburg of Netra, and Herr Wolff Heinrich von Boyneburg of Netra); died 1759. Captain, Hessen-Kassel Army. (Von Buttlar-Elberberg erroneously called him Christian Friedrich Wilhelm.)
8. Johann Lebrecht; bap. 3 April 1733 (godparents: Herrn Hans Eitel von Diede, Lebrecht von Bodenhausen, and Fräulein Magdalena von Boyneburg of Netra); no further record. (Reichensachsen parish register.)
9. Maria Susanna Hedwig; bap. 26 Sept. 1734 (godparents: Frl. Hedwig von Buttlär of Allenfeld, Frl. Maria Sybilla von Boyneburg of Netra, and Frl. Susanna von Minnigeroda of Giebelhausen.)

CURT LEOPOLD von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN was the son of Lieutenant-Colonel Jost von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein and (probably) his second wife, Anna von Hanstein-Bornhagen. (See pages 11-12.) He resided at Reichensachsen, where he married (about 1629 or 1630 --- the Reichensachsen parish registers are missing for this period) SABINE SIBYLLE von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN, daughter of his first cousin, Jost Christoph (see page 10). He died at Reichensachsen, 18 December 1673, aged 64 years and 4 months. His wife, Sabine, was godmother of Sabine, daughter of Lorenz Ludolph, pastor of Reichensachsen, 28 September 1651 (Walter Kürschner, "Aus dem Kirchenbuch von Reichensachsen von 1639-1653", Archiv für hessische Geschichte und Alterthumskunde, neue Folge, Bd. IX, 1913, p. 50, footnote 1). "Frau Sabina, wife of the deceased Curt Leopold von Boÿneburg gnt von Hohnstein" died 28 March 1674, aged 63 years five weeks (Reichensächsen parish registers). Von Buttlar-Elberberg assigned only three children to Curt Leopold and Sabine, namely, Anna Juliane, Jost, and Anna Sidonia, but the researches of Mr. Coddington have provided us with the names of seven children, as follows:

1. Anna Sidonia; b. before 1639, since the earliest Reichensachsen church registers begin in that year. According to von Buttlar-Elberberg, she married in 1664 Baron Johann Christoph von Geyso of Mannsbach. As shown above, one of the godparents of Diedrich Philipp von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein was Frl. Anna Sidonia von Geisse, a variation of Geiss and Geyso. Was she a daughter of Johann Christoph von Geyso and Anna Sidonia v. Boyneburg gen. Hohenstein?
2. Susanna; bap. 21 July 1639; no further record. (Reichensachsen parish register)
3. Christina; baptized in 1641 (no specific date mentioned). (Reichensachsen parish register)
4. Jost; bap. in 1643 (no specific date mentioned); he was not born in 1640, as stated by von Buttlar-Elberberg: died 12 Nov. 1674, aged 30 years, 28 weeks (sic!); m. 5 Nov. 1672 (according to von Buttlar-Elberberg), Anna Magdalena von Buttlar-Ermschwerd (born 1654) and had one son:
   a. Curt Leopold Jost; died 18 Dec. 1673 (same day as his grandfather). (Reichensachsen parish register)
5. ANNA JULIANA; see below.
6. Jost Christoffel; bap. 2 Oct. 1650 (Reichensachsen register).
7. Johann; bap. 13 Feb. 1653. No further record of Johann and his brother, Jost Christoffel; presumably they died young.

Mr. Coddington sent us the following information concerning Curt Leopold's family from a list of Reichensachsen parishioners in 1646:

"Ad 1646 den 4 ten Januar hab ich [i.e. the Pastor] eine Seelrechnung gemacht":

"Curt Leopold von Boÿneburg gnt von Hönstein
Sabina
Kinder: Sidonia, Christina, Jost
Schwester: Anna Catharina".

It is apparent from the foregoing that in 1646 Curt Leopold's sister Anna Catharina was living with his family. But the list of parishioners compiled at about the close of the year 1647

shows that the sister was no longer residing in his household, but a little daughter had been added:

"Curt Leopold von Boyneburgk,
Sabina,
Kinder: Sidonia, Christina,
Jost, Juliana".

(Photograph in the writer's possession, supplied by the State Archives at Marburg.)

ANNA JULIANA von BOYNEBURG genannt HOHENSTEIN (daughter of Curt Leopold and Sabine Sibylla), was born at Reichensachsen ca 1 May 1646 (figuring back from her age as stated in her burial record). The entries for the Reichensachsen parish registers during these war years (the Thirty Years' War was in its last stages) are incomplete due to the frequent flights of the pastor and townspeople; hence no record of her baptism is available. On 13 January 1678 she was godmother for Beata Christina, daughter of her cousin, Jost Heinrich von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein.

On 14 October 1680, Anna Juliana married at Reichensachsen MATTHIAS SARTORIUS, pastor of the nearby town of Wichmannshausen. He was born probably about 1645, and on 24 March 1664 he was matriculated as a theological student at the University of Marburg; he was described in the record as being of Sontra. (The printed Catalogi studiosorum scholae Marpurgensis, under the year 1664.) It will be recalled that von Humbracht's pedigree (Table M) stated that Anna Juliana married Walrab von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, and that von Buttlar-Elberberg's Table VII assigned her two husbands, Walrab von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein (a distant cousin) and Matthias Sartorius. However, she was married only once, to Sartorius for the following reasons: (a) in the marriage record in the Reichensachsen parish register she is described as Jgfr. (Jungfrau) or "virgin"; (b) Walrab v. Boyneburg gen. Hohenstein's youngest child was born in 1681, a year after her marriage to Sartorius; and (c) Walrab died in 1691, 11 years after Anna Juliana's marriage to Sartorius.

In 1687 Juliana, wife of Mag. Sartorius of Wichmannshausen, was godmother to a daughter of Pastor Caspar Rudolph Gröll, of Nesselröden. Pastor Sartorius also officiated over the church at nearby Hoheneiche. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the vacant pastorate at Datterode in 1682. He died between Easter 1694, when he was unable to officiate on account of his final illness, and 8 July 1694, when his successor was installed. Sartorius had the master's degree (Magister, abbreviated to Mag.), equivalent to our M.A. After her daughter's marriage to Pastor Rübenkam in 1699, Frau Sartorius removed to Wanfried to be with them, and there she died and was buried on 1 February 1703. A translation of the record in the Wanfried parish register for 1703 (photocopy supplied the writer by the pastor of Wanfried) follows: "1 February Frau Anna Juliana born von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein of Reichensachsen, widow of the late Herr Mag. Matthias Sartorius formerly pastor at Wichmannshausen and Hoheneiche, is buried in this very place, aged 57 years less 3 months".

Issue of Matthias Sartorius and Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein:

1. Margarethe Elisabeth (called Martha Elisabeth); baptized at Reichensachsen, 10 Dec. 1681 (godmother: Martha Elisabeth, the lawful wife of the Pastor of Nesselröden); buried at Reichensachsen, 24 June 1687.
2. Margaretha Catharina; see below.

MARGARETHA CATHARINA SARTORIUS, younger but only surviving daughter of Mag. Matthias Sartorius and his nobly-born wife, Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein, was baptized at Reichensachsen, 26 February 1684 (godmother: Martha Catharina Trott, whose full name probably was Margaretha Catharina Trott zu Solz, of a Hessian noble family). On 19 July 1699, at the age of 15 1/2 years, she married JOHANN PHILIPP RÜBENKAM, who was born at Wanfried, on the Werra River, near Eschwege, 20 April 1670, as the oldest child of Andreas Rübenkam, afterwards Pastor of Eschwege, and his wife, Catharina Juliana, daughter of Balthasar Gleim, Pastor of Wanfried, and his wife, Anna Margaretha, daughter of Johannes Crollius (1599-1662), Metropolitan (Bishop) of Hersfeld, and his wife, Catharina, daughter of Benedictus Geiter, of Breithard im Taunus.

Johann Philipp Rübenkam was matriculated at the University of Marburg, 25 April 1687. He succeeded his maternal uncle, Johannes Gleim as Pastor of Wanfried, in 1698, and held this position until December 1716 or January 1717, when he was unfrocked for preaching Pietist doctrines in a Calvinistic pulpit under the rule of a Catholic prince! He was exiled to Berleburg, in the countship of Sayn-Wittgenstein, where he died and was buried on 25 February 1725. His widow, Margaretha Catharina, with their children later joined a Pietist group en route to America and landed in Philadelphia, 2 December 1726. She died in Bristol Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, before 13 May 1727, when letters of administration on her estate were issued to her oldest son.

Issue of Johann Philipp Rübenkam and Margaretha Catharina Sartorius: (Researches of Kurt Holzapfel; baptismal records, Wanfried parish register):

1. Friedrich Wilhelm; b. between 1700 and 1703; d. Bristol Township, Philadelphia County, Pa., 1736; unmarried.
2. Catharina Juliana; bap. at Wanfried, 4 Oct. 1703 (godmother: Catharina Agneta Crollius, daughter of the deceased Metropolitan of Sontra, Johannes Crollius); bur. Upper Germantown burying ground, 16 Feb. 1774; m. (1) 1st Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, 24th of 9th month (November) 1727, Jacob Colladay (by whom she had issue), and (2) Blasius Daniel Hackinet (or Hacknet).
3. Justus Wilhelm; bap. Wanfried, 6 Aug. 1705 (godfather: Justus Walther Krause, Bailiff at Kronberg); d. in Bristol Township, Philadelphia Co., Pa., before 21 Dec. 1768; m. (1) First Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, 5th of 4th month (June) 1735, Katharine Conreds (no known issue), and (2) in the same church, 2nd of 2nd month (April) 1742, Susannah Rittenhouse by whom he had issue.

4. Karl Wilhelm; bap. 5 May 1707 (godfather: His paternal uncle, the theological candidate Michael Wilhelm Rübenkam); d. Springfield Twp., Philadelphia (now Montgomery) County, Pennsylvania, before 27 Aug. 1748; m. Barbara Rittenhouse (died before 12 Sept. 1761). (She married 2ndly, James Stern, and had issue by him.)
5. Anna Catharina; b. 25 Feb., bap. 27 Feb. 1709 (godmother: Anna Catharina, wife of Johannes Goddefahrt, Burgomaster of Witzenhausen); d. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 2 May 1770; m. Philadelphia, 10 Nov. 1737 (as his 2nd wife), John Wister (buried 1 Feb. 1789), and had issue.
6. Johanna Catharina; b. 31 May 1711 (godmother: Johanna, wife of Jacob Wilhelm Uckermann); no further record.
7. Margaretha Catharina; b. 5 July 1713 (godmother: Her paternal aunt, Anna Margaretha, wife of Hieronymus Weichard Dirksen, pastor of Eschwege-Neustadt); no further record.

Through an inadvertence we failed to give, on page 16, the names of the godparents of those children of Curt Leopold von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein whose baptismal dates were found by Mr. Coddington in the Reichensachsen parish register. They follow:

Child	Date of Baptism	Godparents
Susanna	21 July 1639	Anna Catharina v. Boÿneburg, "des Kindes Vaters Schwester"
Christina	1641 (no other date)	Anna Christina "puerperae soror"
Jost	1643 (no other date)	Adam v. Boÿneburgk gnt. von Honstein
Jost Christoffel	2 Oct. 1650	Christian Wolf von Butlar genant Treuss
Johann	13 Feb. 1653	Johann von Boÿneburg gnt. von Hoinstein

P E D I G R E E

Heinrich (X) von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein; of record, 1391, 1399, 1406); married Margarethe von Hesselrode

Heimbrod III	Hermann III
Heimbrod IV; married Margarethe von Elben	Hermann IV, Prince-Abbot of Corvey, 1485-1504

Jost von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein (died 1589); married (1) Catharina von Buttlar (-Ziegenberg ?) (2) _____ v. Falken-Rohrda (3) Veronika v. Schetzel

Lt.Col. Jost (1554-1619); m. (2) Anna v. Hanstein-Bornhagen	Philipp (1556-); m. Christine von Kochberg
	Jost Christoph; married Sabine von Scholley

Curt Leopold (1609-73)----married---Sabine Sibylle (1611-74)

Anna Juliana von Boyneburg genannt Hohenstein (1646-1703: married Pastor Matthias Sartorius, of Wichmannshausen

Margarethe Catharina Sartorius (1684-1727); married Pastor Johann Philipp Rübenkam, of Wanfried

Karl Wilhelm Rübenkam (1707-48); married Barbara Rittenhouse

R E V E R C O M B	R U B I N C A M
Jacob; m. Jemima Kemp	Peter (d. 1821); m. Hannah Potts
George (1797-1878); m. Rebecca Griffith	Ezekiel (d.1853); m. (1) Mary Strode
Hon.William H. (1824-1900); m. Susan Paulina Bollar	Charles Francisco (1842-1933); mar. Sarah Anne Cleek
Hon. George A. (1858-1937);m. Elizabeth Chapman	John Cleek (1875-1925);m. Anna Dora Halk
Hon. Chapman REVERCOMB (1895-); U. S. Senator, 1943-49, 1957-59; mar.Sara Venables Hughes, and has children and grandchildren.	Virginia Riswick REVERCOMB (1901-); Genealogist of the Revercomb Family.
	Richard Strode (1806-82); m. Mary Anne Eckel
	Milton (1859-1916); married Minnie Victoria Haines
	Milton RUBINCAM (1909-); m. Priscilla Teasdale
	John Philip II (1941-) / Milton III (1944-) / David Parry (1947-)

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